

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q86138

Shigeru ASHIDA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/523,829

Group Art Unit: 2831

Confirmation No.: 3991

Examiner: Chau N. NGUYEN

Filed: February 8, 2005

For: ELECTRICAL CONNECTOR AND CABLE

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

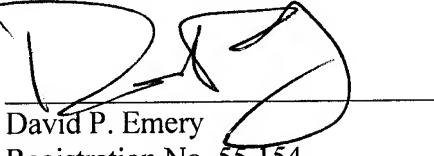
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of five month(s), extending the time for responding after the Notice of Appeal filed September 29, 2006 to April 29, 2007.

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Respectfully submitted,



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